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## MEMORANDUM FOR HOME AND COMMUNITY BASED SERVICES STAFF

From: Kitty Engler, Bureau Chief

Bureau of Long Term Services and Supports

Subject: Residential Care Facility (RCF)/Assisted Living Facility (ALF) Assessor Guidance

➤ 3.20 RCF/ALF Personal Care – State Additional information was added regarding the expectation of assessors entering a RCF/ALF. All staff shall introduce

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RCF/ALF. All staff shall introduce themselves and explain the reason for the visit. It is also important to remember assessors must meet with facility staff at each assessment to review the participant's chart and treatment plan and obtain any other needed information to conduct an accurate

assessment.

Questions should be directed to the Bureau of Long Term Services and Supports at 573/526-8557 or via e-mail at LTSS@health.mo.gov.

Unless otherwise noted, the policy revisions are effective upon receipt.

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